

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CASC, LE

SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY

1. OFFICE OF SEN. KENNEDY HAS CONTACTED DEPT. TO REPORT CONSTITUENT IN MASS. RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALL FROM RELATIVES IN BEIRUT (PROBABLY EAST) REPORTING LOSS OF CONTACT WITH ALLEGED LOCAL EMPLOYEE OF EMBASSY. DETAILS NOT ENTIRELY CLEAR BUT RELATIVES IN US APPARENTLY TOLD THAT ASSAD AMINE (POSSIBLY AMINE ASSAD) HAS BEEN WORKING AT US EMBASSY IN BEIRUT FOR LAST SEVERAL WEEKS AND HAS NOT CONTACTED HIS WIFE AND FAMILY IN BEIRUT.

2. REALIZE SITUATION SOMEWHAT UNCLEAR FROM INFORMATION AVAILABLE, BUT WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR VERIFYING WHETHER NAMED INDIVIDUAL (OR REASONABLE FACSIMILE) IS ON EMBASSY PAYROLL AND, IF SO, WHETHER HE IS OR HAS BEEN REPORTING FOR WORK IN RECENT PAST. PLEASE ADVISE. KISSINGER

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